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	In response to the Official Action dated August 1, 2007 , reconsideration is			
respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:				
		Amendments to the Specification begin on page	of this paper.	
		Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.		
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